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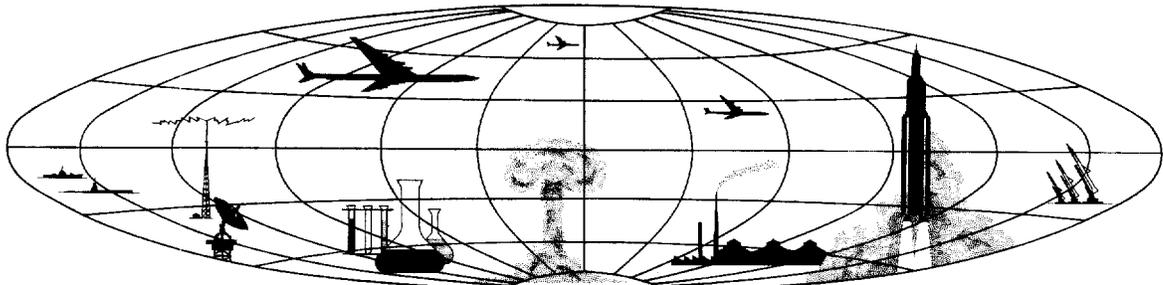
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OAK-PART I MISSION 9040

PREFACE

THIS IS THE FIRST OF AN ESTIMATED 3 DAILY OAK REPORTS BASED ON MISSION 9040 AND DEALING WITH THE HIGHEST-PRIORITY INTELLIGENCE ITEMS APPEARING IN THE COMOR TARGET LIST. THIS REPORT, COVERING THE OAK-REPORTING PERIOD FROM 0800 HOURS TO 1430 HOURS, 6 AUGUST 1962, PRESENTS INFORMATION ONLY ON THOSE COMOR TARGETS OBSERVED ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY.

IN MANY INSTANCES INTERPRETATION HAS BEEN IMPAIRED BY FOGGING OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN. TARGETS WHICH COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED BECAUSE OF LIMITING CONDITIONS (IDENTIFICATION ONLY) ARE INCLUDED. COMOR TARGETS NOT OBSERVED OR NOT COVERED BY THE PHOTOGRAPHY WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE FINAL OAK REPORT ON MISSION 9040.

TARGETS ARE ARRANGED IN THE OAK BY SUBJECT, AND WITHIN EACH SUBJECT, BY COMOR TARGET NUMBER. TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY OBSERVED DURING THE OAK-REPORTING PERIOD ARE LISTED NUMERICALLY UNDER THE APPROPRIATE SUBJECT FOLLOWING THE LISTING OF COMOR TARGETS. ALL TARGETS IN THIS REPORT ARE LOCATED IN THE USSR UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED.

THE NAMES WHICH APPEAR IN THE HEADERS FOR MRBM SITES ARE THE NAMES WHICH CONFORM WITH TDI CRITERIA (REFERENCE -- NAMES OF SURFACE-TO-SURFACE INSTALLATIONS, J2DM-35-62, 14 FEB 62).

SELECTED PHOTOGRAPHIC REFERENCES ARE GIVEN FOR EACH TARGET OBSERVED AND REPORTED FOLLOWING THE DESCRIPTION OF THE TARGET. PASS NUMBERS ARE PREFIXED WITH EITHER AN A FOR ASCENDING (SOUTH-TO-NORTH) OR D FOR DESCENDING (NORTH-TO-SOUTH). THE LETTER F PRECEDING FRAME NUMBERS INDICATES THE FORWARD CAMERA, AND THE LETTER A PRECEDING FRAME NUMBERS INDICATES THE AFT CAMERA. UNIVERSAL REFERENCE GRID (X-Y) COORDINATES ARE GIVEN IN PARENTHESES FOLLOWING THE FRAME TO WHICH THEY APPLY. THIS GRID IS IDENTIFIED AS KH-4 (1) APR 62.

OAK RECIPIENTS ARE CAUTIONED THAT THE INITIAL SCAN OF PHOTOGRAPHY

FROM MISSION 9040 IS BEING ACCOMPLISHED IN A SHORT TIME AND OFTEN WITHOUT THE AID OF PRECISE ANALYTICAL AND MENSURAL EQUIPMENT COMMONLY EMPLOYED IN DETAILED PHOTOGRAPHIC ANALYSIS. CONSEQUENTLY ALTHOUGH THE INFORMATION PRESENTED HEREIN IS ESSENTIALLY ACCURATE, FUTURE DETAILED ANALYSIS MAY SOMEWHAT ALTER PORTIONS OF THE INFORMATION.

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SUMMARY

STATUS OF COMOR TARGET READOUT

A TOTAL OF 29 COMOR TARGETS WERE OBSERVED DURING THE CURRENT REPORTING PERIOD AND ARE COVERED BY THIS REPORT.

HIGHLIGHTS

TWO NEWLY IDENTIFIED SA-3 SITES ARE LOCATED IN THE LENINGRAD AREA. (BONUS 1).

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A DOLON-TYPE BUNKER HAS BEEN ADDED AT MINSK/MACHULISHCHE AIRFIELD

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MISSILES

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POLYARNYY URAL SUSPECT ICBM AREA 6703N 06542E

HEAVY CLOUDS AND HAZE PRECLUDE A THOROUGH SEARCH OF THE 50-NM RADIUS AREA AROUND POLYARNYY URAL. NO SSM ACTIVITY IDENTIFIED IN VISIBLE PORTIONS.

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PLESETSK ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 6252N 04040E

PHOTOGRAPHY COVERS ONLY THE EASTERN PART OF THE COMPLEX, WITH ONLY LAUNCH POINT IV VISIBLE. NO APPARENT CHANGE.
A SEARCH OF THE CLOUD-FREE AREAS WITHIN A 35-NM RADIUS REVEALS NO NEW SIGNIFICANT FACILITIES.

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VERKHNYAYA SALDA ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 5802N 06033E

NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES AT THE VERKHNYAYA SALDA ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX SINCE MISSION [REDACTED] LAUNCH AREAS E, F, AND G ARE CLOUD COVERED.
A 35-NM RADIUS SEARCH REVEALS NO NEW ACTIVITY. HOWEVER, THE AREA IS COVERED BY SCATTERED TO HEAVY CLOUDS.

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CHULYM SUSPECT ICBM AREA 5510N 08015E

A SEARCH OF THE CLOUD-FREE PORTIONS OF THE CHULYM SUSPECT AREA DOES NOT SHOW ANY SSM ACTIVITY.

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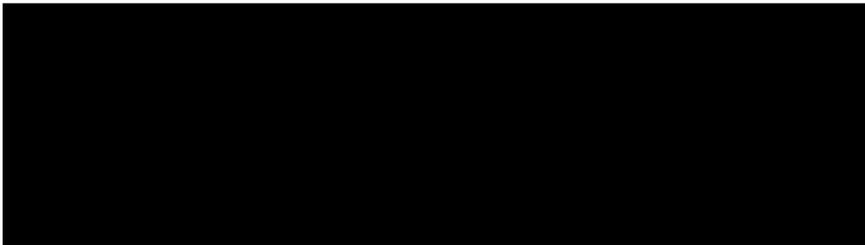
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DROVYANAYA ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 5132N 11301E

THE ONLY NEW DEVELOPMENT OBSERVED AT DROVYANAYA ICBM COMPLEX IS THE IMPROVEMENT AND EXTENSION TO THE EAST OF A ROAD WHICH INTERSECTS THE COMPLEX MAIN ROAD ABOUT 2 NM NORTH OF LAUNCH AREA A. THIS ROAD WAS IN AN EARLY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION AT THE TIME OF MISSION [REDACTED] HAZE PRECLUDES FURTHER DETAILED INTERPRETATION OF EXISTING FACILITIES. A SEARCH WITHIN A 35-NM RADIUS REVEALS NO NEW SIGNIFICANT FACILITIES.

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ITATKA ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 5650N 08536E

A SEARCH WITHIN A 35-NM RADIUS OF THE ITATKA ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX REVEALS NO ADDITIONAL LAUNCH AREAS OR SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN THE COMPLEX. HEAVY CLOUDS AND HAZE PRECLUDE COMPARISON OF THE LAUNCH AREA STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION.

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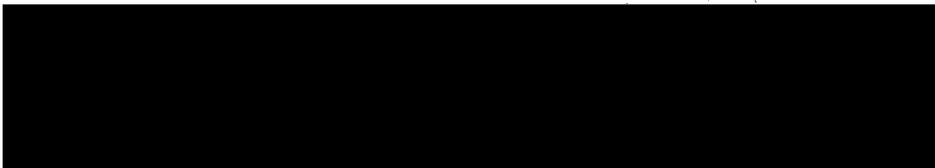
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SHADRINSK ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 5605N 06338E

NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE IN VISIBLE PORTIONS SINCE MISSION [REDACTED]

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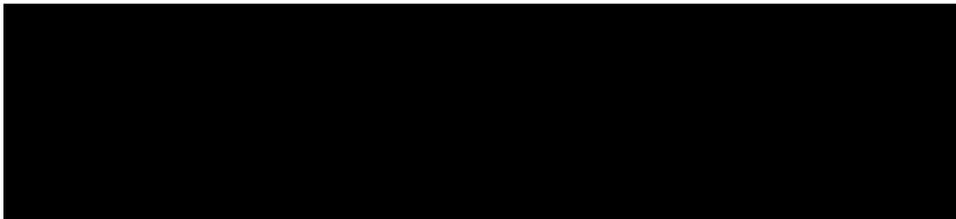
OMSK SUSPECT ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 5503N 07330E

NO EVIDENCE OF LAUNCH AREAS IN THE VICINITY OF THE SUSPECT COMPLEX.

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THE HEART-SHAPED, LOOPED ROAD OBSERVED ON PHOTOGRAPHY OF MISSION [REDACTED] IS NOT DISCERNIBLE. HOWEVER, 2 GROUPS OF APPROXIMATELY 5 BUILDINGS EACH ARE AT THIS APPROXIMATE LOCATION.

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TYUMEN ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 5652N 06552E

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NEW RAIL SIDING AT TRANSFER POINT. NO OTHER SIGNIFICANT CHANGES SINCE MISSION [REDACTED] NO NEW ACTIVITY APPARENT IN GENERAL VICINITY OF ROAD TERMINUS WEST OF LAUNCH AREA C. SCATTERED-TO-HEAVY CLOUDS PRECLUDE A COMPLETE SEARCH OF THE 35-NM AREA AROUND TYUMEN.

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KAMEN-NA-OBI SUSPECT SSM AREA 5347N 08120E

SEARCH OF THE CLOUD-FREE PORTIONS WITHIN A 50-NM RADIUS OF THE KAMEN-NA-OBI SUSPECT AREA REVEALS NO SSM ACTIVITY.

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GLADKAYA ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 5605N 09212E

A SEARCH WITHIN A 35-NM RADIUS OF THE GLADKAYA ICBM COMPLEX REVEALS NO ADDITIONAL LAUNCH AREAS IN THE CLEAR AREAS. THE POSSIBLE COMPLEX SUPPORT FACILITY, REPORTED FROM

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MISSION [REDACTED] IS NOW CONFIRMED. IT IS LOCATED AT THE RAIL STATION OF KACHA. THE RAIL SPUR HAS BEEN EXTENDED AND ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS AND ROADS HAVE BEEN CONSTRUCTED IN THE SUPPORT FACILITY. THE ROAD EXTENDING NORTH FROM THE SUPPORT FACILITY TOWARD LAUNCH AREA A HAS BEEN EXTENDED AND IMPROVED. CONTINUED CONSTRUCTION APPEARS TO BE PROGRESSING AT LAUNCH AREAS A AND B ALTHOUGH DETAILED INTERPRETATION CANNOT BE MADE DUE TO HAZE, FOGGING, AND SMALL SCALE.

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] GORKIY SUSPECT SSM AREA 5617N 04355E

A SEARCH OF THE CLOUD-FREE AREAS WITHIN A 40-NM RADIUS OF GORKIY REVEALS NO SSM ACTIVITY.

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] BARABINSK SUSPECT SSM AREA 5522N 07821E

NO SSM ACTIVITY NOTED WITHIN 50-NM RADIUS OF BARABINSK IN CLOUD-FREE PORTIONS OF SEARCH AREA.

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] NOVOSIBIRSK ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 5502N 08256E

THE NOVOSIBIRSK ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX AND THE WEST HALF OF THE SEARCH AREA ARE CLOUD COVERED. A SEARCH OF THE CLOUD-FREE PORTION OF THE 35-NM RADIUS SEARCH AREA REVEALS NO ADDITIONAL LAUNCH AREAS OR OTHER SIGNIFICANT FACILITIES.

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[REDACTED]

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BERDSK SUSPECT SSM AREA 5445N 08305E

SEARCH OF THE CLOUD-FREE PORTIONS WITHIN A 50-NM RADIUS OF BERDSK REVEALS NO SSM ACTIVITY.

[REDACTED] 25X1D

KEMEROVO SUSPECT SSM AREA 5522N 08602E

A SEARCH WITHIN A 50-NM RADIUS OF KEMEROVO REVEALS NO SSM ACTIVITY.

[REDACTED] 25X1D

BOGOTOL SUSPECT SSM AREA 5613N 08931E

A SEARCH OF THE CLOUD-FREE PORTIONS WITHIN A 50-NM RADIUS OF BOGOTOL REVEALS NO SSM ACTIVITY.

[REDACTED] 25X1D

KAMCHATKA PENINSULA SUSPECT ABM AREA 5600N 16000E

A SEARCH OF THE CLOUD-FREE AREAS OF KAMCHATKA PENINSULA REVEALS NO ABM ACTIVITY.

[REDACTED] 25X1D

SEVERODVINSK (MOLDOVSK) SHIPYARD 402 6434N 03949E

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE MISSION [REDACTED]. SMALL SCALE AND POOR IMAGE QUALITY PRECLUDE EITHER A COUNT OF OR IDENTIFICATION OF VESSELS TIED UP AT PIERS. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] 25X1D

[REDACTED] 25X1D

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[REDACTED]

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BALTIYSK NAVAL BASE 5439N 01955E

IDENTIFICATION ONLY. HEAVY CLOUDS PRECLUDE INTERPRETATION.

[REDACTED]

KALININGRAD NAVAL MISSILE FACILITIES 5450N 02028E

IDENTIFICATION ONLY. HAZE PRECLUDES INTERPRETATION.

[REDACTED]

SEVASTOPOL POSS NAVAL MISSILE STORAGE 4436N 03340E

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE MISSION [REDACTED] 25X1D

[REDACTED]

GORKIY SUSPECT ABM AREA 5620N 04400E

A SEARCH OF THE CLOUD-FREE PORTIONS WITHIN A 40-NM RADIUS OF GORKIY REVEALS NO ABM ACTIVITY.

[REDACTED]

LENINGRAD SUSPECT ABM AREA 5955N 03020E

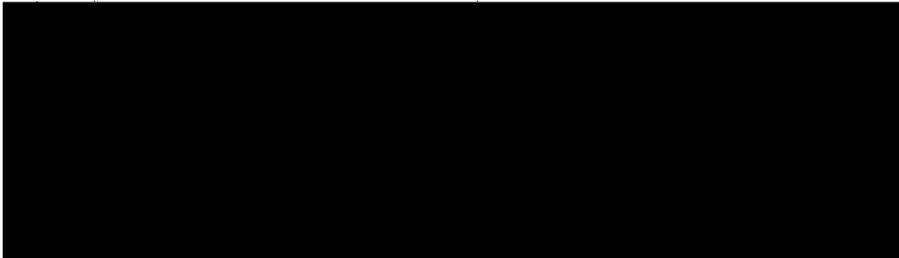
FURTHER ANALYSIS OF THE THREE LENINGRAD CLUSTERS ON MISSIONS [REDACTED] PROVIDES SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE TO IDENTIFY THEM AS PROBABLE ANTIMISSILE-MISSILE (AMM) LAUNCH COMPLEXES. 25X1D

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MISSION [REDACTED] REVEALS NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE IN THE LAUNCH AREAS AND CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES AT THE NW AND SW ASSOCIATED PROBABLE ELECTRONICS SITES. A POSSIBLE ELECTRONICS SITE, SIMILAR TO THOSE MENTIONED ABOVE, IS VISIBLE IN THE NE COMPLEX JUST WEST OF THE LAUNCH AREA. CONSTRUCTION IS ALSO UNDERWAY IN THIS POSSIBLE ELECTRONICS SITE. THE SW AND SSE PROBABLE ELECTRONICS SITES WITH DOME-LIKE OBJECTS ARE IN FOGGED PORTIONS OF FILM. THE SW SITE WAS BARELY VISIBLE AND THE DOME-LIKE STRUCTURE WAS NOT DISCERNIBLE. THE SSE SITE WAS OBSCURED COMPLETELY BY FOGGING OF THE FILM.

A SEARCH WITHIN A 40-NM RADIUS OF LENINGRAD FOR ADDITIONAL LAUNCH AND/OR ELECTRONICS SITES REVEALS NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN THE CLOUD-FREE PORTIONS. SCATTERED CLOUDS, HAZE AND FOGGING PREVENTED A THOROUGH SEARCH FOR ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY.

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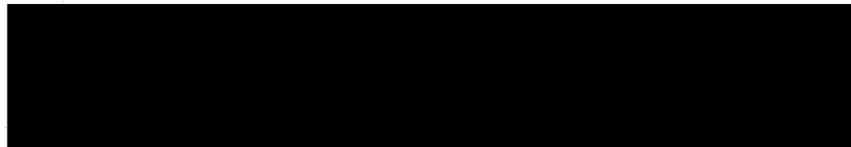


CHITA SUSPECT ABM AREA 5254N 11332E 25X1D

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TWO CIRCULAR AREAS EVIDENT ON MISSION [REDACTED] DO NOT SHOW ON THIS MISSION -- HOWEVER, MOST OF THIS AREA IS OBSCURED BY FOGGING, CLOUDS AND HAZE. TWO RECTANGULAR CLEARED AREAS ARE VISIBLE 5 NM SOUTH OF THE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED CIRCULAR AREAS ALONG THE NEWLY CONSTRUCTED ROAD. STATUS OF ROAD CONSTRUCTION APPEARS UNCHANGED.

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BONUS 1. LENINGRAD AREA, SA-3 SAM SITES

TWO NEWLY IDENTIFIED SA-3 SAM SITES HAVE BEEN OBSERVED FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE LENINGRAD AREA. THE SITES ARE AS FOLLOWS --

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COMPLETED SITE 33 NM NW OF LENINGRAD AT 60-20-█N 029-37-█E (PLOTTED ON USATC SERIES 200, SHEET 0103-25AL, 2D ED, FEB 60). █

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COMPLETED SITE 31.5 NM NW OF LENINGRAD AT 60-10-█N 029-23-█E (PLOTTED ON USATC SERIES 200, SHEET 0103-24AL, 2D ED, MAY 60). █

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AIRCRAFT

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█ STRYY AIRFIELD 4914N 02348E

NO AIRCRAFT DISCERNIBLE.

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